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P. W. STONE, Editor

Since the town has refused to commit itself to a contract to furnish the C.P.R. with any particular quantity of water, and since the old contract has expired, there now exists between the two nothing but a gentleman's agreement; the town verbally agreeing to furnish water, and the C.P.R. verbally agreeing to take the water at ten cents per 1,000 gallons.

As gentlemen, of course, the town council will make every effort to see that the supply of water is kept up for the use of the C. P. R., that no unnecessary inconvenience is afforded there, and that everything goes along just as before the expiration of the contract and as though a contract still existed. As gentlemen that is the only proper and sportsmanlike attitude to assume.

On the part of Superintendent MacIntosh there should be a similar endeavor. It will be illbecoming to him, just because he did not get the contract he wished, to become peeved and act on his suggestion of cutting out the town as a watering place for through trains. That would be an exhibition of extreme weakness on the part and quite unbecoming to an official occupying the position he does. That, of course, is quite apart from the agreement altogether. It is simply a matter of taking water or not taking water.

Should the Council cut the part of gentlemen in this respect, and it is found that Superintendent MacIntosh exhibits peevishness by cutting down the quantity of water to any considerable extent, then it is quite fair and gentlemanly on the part of the Council to ask a higher rate. If, as Superintendent MacIntosh pointed out to the Council, the C. P. R. paid during the course of its former contract thirteen and a half cents per 1,000 gallons for water, then surely there can be no just cause for complaint if a reduction to ten cents is given them.

The town engineer, Geo. Murgatroyd, has been invested by the Council, with the powers of

a police officer for the town, and while it is not probable that Mr. Murgatroyd will attempt to be too officious in the office, yet it is to be expected that he will make an attempt to see that the town bylaws are respected.

Among these will naturally come the matter of cleaning back yards, and it is quite up to all self-respecting citizens to take from Mr. Murgatroyd in the most kindly manner possible, any suggestion to clear away all unsightly and unwholesome refuse of the winter's accumulation. A casual glance at some of the back yards in the down town district is sufficient to make one shudder, and Mr. Murgatroyd will not be in the least exceeding his duty should he insist most vehemently that all wreckage be cleared away.

Guard yourself against going to seed by taking a live interest in the things which stand for progress and development. Identify yourself with movements that are upbuilding in their influence and effects, be an incubator of live ideas, and you will never be a dead one no matter where you are located or what the conditions

An exchange says:—A Congregational church one of the largest in Grand Rapids, Mich., has solved the prayer meeting problem. The attendance was not large, so they shortened the time down to half an hour of prayer and follow it with a dance that lasts until midnight. It is said the attendance has been greatly increased.

They really should have the dance first and pray over it afterwards.

Says The Gleichen Call:—Tuesday the Provincial police had about twenty of our respectable townsmen and farmers in police court, when J. L. Lycock assessed them from \$7.50 to \$15 a-piece for not having new license numbers or their lights burning on their autos. Those who had old numbers were soaked \$15 as it was thought they knew better and had had ample time to procure them, while new owners paid half price.

After reading the above we have decided that Constable Buxton is not such a bad fellow after all.

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The Alberta Department of Agriculture is at your service in this work. If you want information or assistance, write to the Department, or write to the nearest School of Agriculture or Demonstration Farm and your request will have immediate attention.

TEST ALL THE SEEDS YOU SOW

We will do this for you if you send in samples of the seed.

FARM HELP. If you require farm help, write to one of the following:—

Agent of Department of Agriculture, Board of Trade Building, Lethbridge.
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HON. DUNCAN MARSHALL,
Minister of Agriculture

Will YOU Give 3-4 Cents a Day to Keep

A Child From Starving?

If you will, read this appeal carefully then decide what share you will take in helping avert the greatest tragedy of all time.

1,250,000 CHILDREN ARE FACING SLOW STARVATION IN BELGIUM TODAY.

The Belgian Relief Commission has not the means to supply these growing children with the food that is necessary. THE SITUATION IS SERIOUS. This great relief fund has largely been administered through Americans; the break between the States and Germany has brought about a crisis; there is more need of funds now than at any previous time.

THE GREAT RELIEF WORK MUST AND WILL GO ON. WE MUST DO OUR SHARE.

At the present time the growing child in Belgium receives only a "hunk of bread and a bowl of soup" each day. It is not enough; they must have more—or starve.

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YOU WILL HELP IN THIS CASE

You can't pass by the children's cry for food from starving Belgium! AND YOU MUST ACT NOW

The thought that you are feeding some of these unfortunates each day will bring you happiness. Think of the eager little hands reaching for the meal you supply.

Your own meals will taste sweeter when you do your share. The paper in which you are reading this is doing its share by publishing this appeal without charge—WHAT WILL YOU DO?

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KATHARINE TYNAN

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(Continued)

The Squire stood watching her miserably, wishing he could have been the girl for her. Now and again he spoke to her as though he sought a child. At the moment he had hardly more consciousness about it than if she had been a child. He had not realized altogether that his feeling for Dolly Egerton was kept to be something very different from what he had given Mary Chambers. For the moment there was no passion in his feelings for the girl, who was crying as though her heart were broken.

"You poor little thing!" he said, with a tender hand on her golden hair. "You poor creature!"

Outside the garden basket he had given out a sigh of relief. Through the opening in the private lodge the sunbeams from beyond the hill. Little white-lad figure toddling with uncertain feet.

"Come, my dear," he said, with a hand on Dolly's shoulder. "I see little Susan is looking for you. She is coming this way."

Dolly made a spasmodic effort to dry her tears. Half-blindly she let him lead her down the path, by the herbaceous border. Susan had begun to emit small sounds of distress.

"Dolly, where are you going?" he asked, as she turned away. "You have sought an adventure for Susan to have quite out of Dolly. Apparently she is in haste. She had probably escaped from her mother, and was apprehensive of being caught."

A sharp note of recall came upon Susan's track. Susan had been running, uttered a little cry, and stumbled. Dolly ran to her, picked her up, and covered her with kisses.

The Squire left them together, and went on to talk to Mrs. Egerton, who was surveying the scene from an upper window of the house, with a touch of expression on her beautiful face.

CHAPTER VIII.

Man to Man

After all the Squire had something to do to catch his 2-45 train. He had carried off Dolly, and Mrs. Egerton to Silverthorne and left them there, eating at a table where they would remain till he returned by the 5-45, when train Lionel Egerton was coming home. That would put out of the question his seeing Hilary. Just as he was not very anxious to see Hilary till he had some satisfactory news of Lady Susan and Margaret. He was not sure how Hilary would take it. He and Margaret were his brother and sister. Too close, the Squire said to himself, to be far apart, even upon the subject of separating between them, else they might be at loggerheads.

Mrs. Egerton had no objection to spending the day at Silverthorne rather than at the Manor, where the meals would be much better cooked and more daintily served, and, besides, the lady, like all her grave, serious beauty, was not intransigent to such considerations.

The poverty of the New Cottage fretted her. It was a far less than more at the Manor, where she could sit on the long gables afternoon through with a book, or on the softest couches if she would, and not far to reach the kitchen, where the cottage kitchen breaking the crockery or stumbling over her own feet.

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been any other way she would have taken it."

The Squire was very angry. "Do you understand," he asked, "that when you and Lady Susan were out, it was not a surprise that you were bound to be gossip?"

"The other man answered him with a shrug."

"I suppose so, things and people being what they are. It was the only way. Margaret had sent for me. I had to persuade her mother between us. She took a good deal of persuasion, but we succeeded at last."

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In the interval between these periods the history of alfalfa is interwoven with the rise and fall of empires and the movements of armed hosts. Alfalfa furnished fodder for war horses of the Persians when Greece was invaded by the latter. Carried to Northern Africa, possibly by one of the followers of the Queen of Sheba, it was later taken to Italy and still later to the Moslems who in Spain as the one really beneficial legacy of the Arab conquest.

The Spaniards themselves, because conquerors, in turn, took the plant with them to Mexico in North America and Chile in South America, and from Mexico it has spread, via California, all over the western and middle western States, and from there to the United States.

The plant's other name, lucerne, is the name of the plant which is known to the Arabs as the origin of the alfalfa. It is a plant of the alfalfa family, and it is the plant which is known to the Arabs as the origin of the alfalfa.

While the Spaniards are chiefly responsible for the introduction of alfalfa into the warmer States of the United States, the crop in Canada and the northern States appears to have been made known by the introduction of seed from Germany. Alfalfa was first introduced into Canada in 1857, and in time it became hardened by its environment.

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Caring for the Wounded

A Cup of Tea on the Battlefield

Work of Good Samaritans

"Mine was a head wound," wrote a wounded soldier. "I was conscious though rather dazed, and I was in a position to see the work of the Good Samaritans. When every trench has its complement of victims, it is a ghastly work, 'walking wounded' is a very comprehensive term."

"My own people brought me down to the dressing-station, where the first ambulance was waiting. There the doctors implored me, if I could manage to struggle along on foot, to make my own way to the dressing station. They pointed to the waiting ambulance, already full, so with unconscious men on stretchers, for the long lines of stretchers on the ground surrounding them."

"So I started to hobble on alone. Suddenly I found another officer beside me, a second lieutenant like myself. How he got there or where he came from I do not know, but he had been shot through the leg and foundered, yet walked on."

"We joined forces, and putting arms around one another, we went on. I was a pair in a three-legged race. Then, on a shell-hole on that corpse-strewn ground, we were met by a pair in a three-legged race. Then, on a shell-hole on that corpse-strewn ground, we were met by a pair in a three-legged race."

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Mrs. Charles Harris of Calgary is in town today.

A. R. Bartley, a workman at the dam, was admitted to the hospital on Monday with a broken leg.

Herschell Wright of Hutton, was admitted to the hospital Tuesday suffering from heart trouble.

Mrs. McGee of Bawlf, Alberta, visited this week with her sister, Mrs. Jas. Johnston.

H. Olson of Pandora, was in town on Saturday last week, coming over the river in a boat.

N. E. Lazerie has discarded his Ford car and invested in a fine new Dodge.

Maces will be held again in Bassano as usual the First Sunday of the month, May 6th.

Norman Roberts of Pandora, who was operated on for appendicitis at the hospital recently, left last week for home and is recovering nicely.

J. A. Nesbitt of Nanton, was here the latter part of last week to meet Mrs. Nesbitt who has just returned from a lengthy visit to the east.

Mrs. A. W. Menagan of Hutton, returned from the east on Sunday after spending the winter months with friends and relatives there.

Rev. W. S. Brookes' subject on Sunday evening in the Presbyterian church will be "The Solution of a Problem."

April 22nd 2nd Sunday after Easter, evensong and sermon 7:30 p. m. in the Church of The Blessed Virgin.

The death of the 8-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell of Gem Colony occurred recently. The family arrived here from Colorado only a short time ago.

Word has been received from Dr. E. C. Harris that he has arrived in England safely, and is now in camp there. He reports a very enjoyable trip across the briny deep.

John Golden loosened up with about \$500 of his hard-earned cash, and has invested in the automobile that Phil Leslie sported around last Summer. Now John rides around like a regular plutocrat.

A daffodil tea and home cooking sale will be held in the Presbyterian church on Saturday, April 21st, under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society. Tea served from three to six. Music, Everybody welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Bredin, after spending the past three months in California, returned on Saturday. Mr. Bredin reports the winter resorts as very flourishing the past winter and everything busy in the coast cities.

Felix Warren will again put on his automobile cars for the Bassano-Richdale line this Summer, commencing on or about April 20th. The latter part of last week the Hutton boys went out on mace and turned the Hutton ferry into the river and relieved the traffic congestion which had prevailed there for some time.

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